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SIR:

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SIR:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated October 3, 2005 (the three-month response date for which is January 3, 2006), please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.